

(b) REMARKS

In the Amendment filed April 21, 2005, on page 18, it was noted that a certified English language translation of JP 2000-280505 was enclosed. In the Notice of Allowability dated August 29, 2005, on page 2, the Examiner noted that Applicants had argued in the "Remarks" section of the April 29, 2005 Amendment that a certified English language translation of priority document JP 2000-280505, had been filed. The Examiner advised that no certified English language translation of the JP priority document had been received.

In updating the status of the subject application, upon receipt of the Notice of Allowance, it was determined that the certified English language translation had inadvertently not been filed with the April 21, 2005 response. Accordingly, to complete the record, Applicants enclosed the certified English language translation of Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-280505, filed September 14, 2000.

It is requested that the certified English translation be placed in the filewrapper of the subject application, since Applicants had advised that the paper had been filed. Accordingly, entry of the Amendment is respectfully requested, since no material work on the part of the Office is required and the scope of the specification and claims is not affected.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter Saxon", written over a horizontal line.

Peter Saxon
Attorney for Applicants
Registration No. 24,947

FITZPATRICK, CELLA, HARPER & SCINTO
30 Rockefeller Plaza
New York, New York 10112-3801
Facsimile: (212) 218-2200

NY_MAIN 524534v1